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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * | | | | 2. | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol | | | | | | | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) | | | | | |
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| I ukinovich Dovid I | | | | | Ir | Investar Holding Corp [ISTR] | | | | | | | (Check an ap) | (Check an applicable) | | | |
| Lukinovich David J | | | | | 9 1 1 | | | | | | | X_ Director | or 10% Owner | | | | |
| (Last) (First) (Middle) | | | | 3. | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (MM/DD/YYYY) | | | | | | | Officer (gi | ve title belov | v)O | ther (specif | y below) | |
| C/O INVEST | LAD HU | I DINC | | | | 1/19/2022 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| C/O INVESTAR HOLDING | | | | | 1/17/2022 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| CORPORATION, 10500 COURSEY BLVD. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| (Succe) | | | | | '' | 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (MM/DD/YYYY) | | | | | | | o. marviduar | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) | | | |
| BATON RO | UGE, LA | A 70816 | | | | | | | | | | | | X_Form filed by One Reporting Person | | | |
| (C | ity) (Sta | ate) (Zi | ip) | | | Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | | | | | | | Person | | |
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| | | | Table | e I - N | on-De | | | urities A | cquir | ed, Dis | posed o | f, or | Beneficially Own | ed | | | |
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Trans. Da | | | ns. Date | 2A. D Execu | eemed | 3. Trans. Co (Instr. 8) | ode | | | | | | | 6. Ownership | Nature of Indirect | | |
| (msu. 3) | | | | | | Date, if a | | | | | | | (Instr. 3 and 4) | | | Form: | Beneficial |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Direct (D) or Indirect | Ownership (Instr. 4) |
| | | | | | | | | Code | V | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | | | | (I) (Instr. 4) | |
| Common Stock | | | | 1/19 | /2022 | | | A(1) | <u> </u> | 1494 | A | \$0 | 1 | 7401 | | D | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | By adult |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 569 | | I | son, Joshua Lukinovich. |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | By |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | | | | | | 10 | 6651 | | I | Solomon's Portico |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | LLC |
| Comment Starts | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | | I | By adult son, David |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | | | | | | • | 551 | | 1 | Lukinovich Jr. |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 572 | | I | By minor |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | daughter | | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | | | | | - | 1: | 5296 | | I | By spouse |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 125 | | I | By minor son |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | By adult |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | | | | | | : | 564 | | I | daughter, Mary |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Lukinovich |
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| 1. Title of Derivate Security 2. 3. Trans. Date Execution (Instr. 8) Derivative Security Date Execution (Instr. 8) Derivative Security (Instr. 8) | | | | | | | | | | | le and Amount of ities Underlying | Inderlying Derivative derivative | | | ip of Indirect | | |
| (Instr. 3) or Exercise Price of Derivative Date, if any | | | | Acquired (A) or Derivati | | | | | ative Security | nd 4) (Instr. 5) Beneficially Owned | | | Beneficial | | | | |
| | | | | Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | | | . 5 and 4) | Derivative Ownership Security: (Instr. 4) | | | | | | | | |
| | Security | | | | | | | | Date | e | Expiration | | Amount or Number of | | Following Reported | Direct (I or Indire | |
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Explanation of Responses:

(1) Grant of restricted stock units that convert into common stock on a one-for-one basis. Vesting occurs in equal increments on 1/1/2023 and 1/1/2024.

Reporting Owners

| reporting owners | | | | | | | |
|----------------------------------|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|--|
| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | | |
| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | | |
| Lukinovich David J | | | | | | | |
| C/O INVESTAR HOLDING CORPORATION | X | | | | | | |
| 10500 COURSEY BLVD. | Λ | | | | | | |
| BATON ROUGE, LA 70816 | | | | | | | |

Signatures

| /s/ David Lukinovich | 1/21/2022 |
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| **Signature of Reporting Person | Date |

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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